

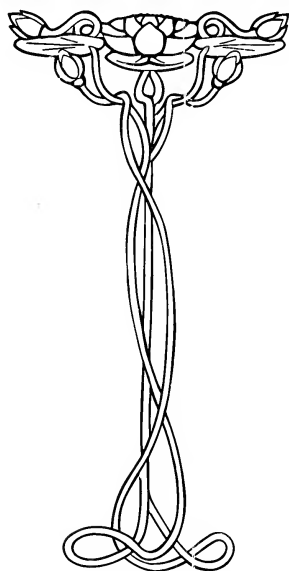
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PRELIMINARY
PEONY
PRICE LIST



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So many of my customers are asking for my list, that I have decided to send out this preliminary price list now, and furnish a more complete one immediately after the blooming season. I like to base my prices on the size stock of each variety I have to offer, and if in June it appears that I am justified in offering some of the varieties at lower prices than shown in this list, I will make the same reductions to customers who order now. If, however, I find it necessary to advance the prices on any varieties here listed, I will not advance them on any orders which I have accepted at prices quoted here.

So many of the rare varieties sell out early in the season that it is an advantage to place orders early enough to get an assurance of delivery. At this time I will quote prices on "Divisions" only, but I probably will be able to deliver full sized roots on many varieties. However, as I prefer to make three people happy with divisions rather than just one with a whole root, I will offer divisions first.

I have over nine hundred varieties of Peonies, and there are probably more than six hundred of them which I will never list, as I want to sell only the very best.

Peony Enthusiasts are invited to visit my garden to study these nine hundred varieties which will all be found properly named and conveniently arranged. It will please me to have your comments on varieties in my garden which are not listed, as it is possible that I have overlooked a few varieties which should be given a wider distribution. I expect to arrive in my garden in July (I am now making a tour of Europe and will visit the foreign gardens during their blooming season here), and as soon as I can see how many plants I have of each of the very, very scarce varieties like Thomas C. Thurlow, Standard Bearer, Mrs. Edward Harding, Paradise, Ball O' Cotton and thirty or forty others, I will publish a price list of them and mail it to anyone interested enough to ask for it.

In the following list I offer the varieties which I consider the finest of the new and rare Peonies, and which have demonstrated their worth in my own and other growers' gardens.

Divisions

	Rating	Price
ALSACE LORRAINE (Lemoine)	8.8	\$2.00
BRAYADERE (Lemoine)	8.7	4.00
BERTRADE (Lemoine)	8.1	2.00
CHESTINE GOWDY (Brand)	8.4	3.00
E. B. BROWNING (Brand)	9.2	6.00
ELWOOD PLEAS (Pleas)	8.7	3.00
ENCHANTRESS (Lemoine)	8.9	5.00
EVANGELINE (Lemoine)	8.1	2.00
EVENING GLOW (Hollis)	8.1	4.00
EXQUISITE (Kelway)	8.7	6.00
FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE (Brand).....	8.1	2.00
FRANCES SHAYLOR (Shaylor).....	8.7	5.00
FRANCES WILLARD (Brand).....	9.1	3.00
GALATHEE (Lemoine)	8.1	5.00
GEORGIANA SHAYLOR (Shaylor).....	8.9	4.00
GINETTE (Dessert)	8.8	4.00
JEANNE GAUDICHAU (Millet)	8.3	3.00
JEANNOT (Dessert)	8.9	15.00
JUBILEE (Pleas)	8.9	5.00
KARL ROSENFELD (Rosenfield)	8.8	1.00
KELWAY'S GLORIOUS (Kelway)	9.8	18.00
LADY ALEXANDRA DUFF (Kelway).....	9.1	5.00
LA FEE (Lemoine)	9.2	6.00
LA FRANCE (Lemoine)	9.0	5.00
LAMARTINE (Lemoine)	8.4	4.00
LAURA DESSERT (Dessert)	8.8	8.00
LE CYGNE (Lemoine)	9.9	8.00
LORA DEXHEIMER (Brand)	8.4	2.50
LOVELINESS (Hollis)	8.8	3.00
LUCY E. HOLLIS (Hollis)	8.1	2.50
MADAME D. TREYERAN (Dessert).....	8.2	2.00
MADAME EMILE DUPRAZ (Riviere).....	7.4	6.00
MADAME JULES DESSERT (Dessert).....	9.4	3.50
MADAME MANCHET (Dessert)	8.0	3.00
MARGARET GAUDICHAU (Millet)	8.6	4.50
MARTHA BULLOCH (Brand)	9.1	8.00
MARIE CROUSSE (Crousse)	8.9	1.00
MAUD L. RICHARDSON (Hollis)	8.5	1.50
MARY WOODBURY SHAYLOR (Shaylor).....	9.4	12.00
M. MARTIN CAHUZAC (Dessert)	8.8	2.00
MIGNON (Lemoine)	8.7	4.00
MONT BLANC (Lemoine)	8.4	3.00
NYMPHAEA (Thurlow)	9.1	5.00
OPAL (Pleas)	8.5	4.00

PHILIPPE RIVOIRE (Riviere)	9.2	15.00
PHOEBE CAREY (Brand)	8.8	4.00
PHYLLIS KELWAY (Kelway)	8.8	4.00
PRIDE OF ESSEX (Thurlow)	8.8	5.00
PRIMEVEE (Lemoine)	8.6	2.50
RAOUL DESSERT (Dessert)	9.0	4.00
ROSA BONHEUR (Dessert)	9.0	4.00
ROSETTE (Dessert)	8.9	3.50
SARAH BERNHARDT (Lemoine)	9.0	2.00
SOLANGE (Lemoine)	9.7	3.00
SOUV. DE LOUIS BIGOT (Dessert).....	8.8	3.00
SUZETTE (Dessert)	8.0	2.50
THERESE (Dessert)	9.8	2.50
TOURANGELLE (Dessert)	9.4	2.50
VICTOIRE DE LA MARNE (Dessert).....	8.3	3.50
WALTER FAXON (Richardson)	9.3	3.00
WILLIAM F. TURNER (Shaylor).....	8.4	3.00

Peonies for Observation

I believe anyone is safe in ordering any variety from the preceding list, but in the following one, purchasers will need to be more careful, for while it contains some of the newest varieties which I hope and believe will equal anything in the preceding list, yet I cannot truthfully say that any of them have won an assured place for themselves. In addition to the very new varieties the list contains old varieties, of which some growers approve and others do not. I am studying each one of these varieties very carefully, and they are offered here so that other Peony enthusiasts can have an opportunity to purchase and study them.

Divisions

ADELAIDE HOLLIS (Hollis)	7.6	\$2.00
AKSARBEN (Rosenfield)	7.0	1.50
ARCHIE BRAND (Brand)	7.5	2.00
AVIATEUR REYMOND (Dessert)	7.9	3.00
BEAUTY'S MASK (Hollis)	7.9	1.50
BELISAIRE (Lemoine)	7.5	1.50
BELLE MAUVE (Lemoine)	6.8	1.50
BUNCH OF PERFUME (Kelway).....	7.0	1.50
CECILIA KELWAY (Kelway) .....	.....	1.50
CHARLES SEDGWICK MINOT (Richardson)	7.2	2.00
CLAUDE GELLE (Lemoine)	7.5	2.00
CLAUDE LORRAINE (Crousse)	6.5	1.50
COQUETTE (Lemoine)	7.4	4.50
CRIMSON VICTORY (Rosenfield).....	6.6	1.00

DISTINCTION (Dessert)	6.4	1.00
E. G. HILL (Lemoine)	7.8	1.50
ELLA CHRISTINE KELWAY (Kelway)	7.2	2.00
ENCHANTMENT (Hollis)	7.7	2.50
ESTAFETTE (Dessert)	7.8	2.00
EUCHARIS (Lemoine)	7.4	2.00
FLAMBEAU (Crousse)	7.1	1.50
FRAICHEUR (Lemoine)	8.3	5.00
GISMONDA (Crousse)	8.2	1.50
GRAZIELLA (?)	7.0	1.00
H. A. HAGEN (Richardson)	7.7	3.00
H. R. H. PRINCESS LOUISE (Kelway) .....	.....	1.50
ISOLINE (Lemoine)	8.5	5.00
JOHN RICHARDSON (Richardson)	8.1	2.00
LADY EMILY (Pleas)	8.6	2.00
LADY GWENDOLEN CECIL (Kelway)	7.3	1.50
LADY MAYORESS (Kelway) .....	.....	1.50
LADY OF THE WEST (Kelway) .....	.....	1.50
LA FIANCEE (Lemoine)	8.6	4.00
LA FONTAINE (Dessert)	6.9	1.50
MADAME BOULANGER (Crousse)	7.8	1.50
MADAME REIGNOUX (Dessert [†])	7.3	1.50
MADAME SAVREAU (Savreau)	7.9	2.00
MARQUIS C. LAGERGREN (Dessert)	8.0	2.00
MIDNIGHT (Brand)	7.3	1.50
MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM (Pleas)	8.5	2.00
MRS. GWYN LEWIS (Kelway) .....	.....	2.50
OTHELLO (Lemoine) .....	.....	3.00
POMPONETTE (Dessert)	7.4	1.50
R. P. WHITFIELD (Richardson)	7.8	1.50
SAMUEL HENSHAW (Richardson)	7.3	1.50
SAPHO (Lemoine)	6.8	1.50
SUMMUM BONUM (Kelway) .....	.....	1.00
SUPREME (Hollis)	7.3	2.50
VERIBEST (Hollis) .....	.....	1.50
WELCOME GUEST (Hollis)	7.9	1.50

Divisions at \$1.00 Each

	Rating
ALBERT CROUSSE (Crousse)	8.6
ALEXANDRIANA (Calot)	7.1
ALICE DE JULVECOURT (Pele)	7.2
AUGUSTE VILLAUME (Crousse)	7.3
AUGUSTIN D'HOUE (Calot)	7.8
AUORE (Dessert)	8.0
AVALANCHE, syn. ALBATRE (Crousse)	8.7

BARONESS SCHROEDER (Kelway)	9.0
BEAUTE DE VILLECANTE (Gombault).....	7.0
BERLIOZ (Crousse)	7.0
BEAUTE FRANCAISE (Guerin)	6.5
BOADICEA (?) .....	.....
BOULE DE NEIGE (Calot)	8.0
BRIDESMAID (Kelway)	8.3
CANDIDISSIMA (Calot)	7.1
CHARLES VERDIER (?) .....	.....
CLAIRE DUBOIS (Crousse)	8.7
CONSTANT DEVRED (Calot)	7.5
COURONNE D'OR (Calot)	8.1
DE CANDOLLE (Crousse)	7.2
DELACHEI (Delache)	7.1
DORCHESTER (Richardson)	7.7
DUC DE WELLINGTON (Calot).....	7.8
DUCHESS DE NEMOURS (Calot).....	8.1
EDULIS SUPERBA (Lemon)	7.6
EUGENE BIGOT (Dessert)	8.3
EUGENE VERDIER (Calot)	8.3
EUGENIE VERDIER (Calot)	8.6
FELIX CROUSSE (Crousse)	8.4
FESTIVA MAXIMA (Miellez)	9.3
FLORAL TREASURE (Rosenfield)	7.5
GENERAL BERTRAND (Guerin)	7.1
GERMAINE BIGOT (Dessert)	8.5
GLOIRE DE CHARLES GOMBAULT (Gombault).....	7.9
GRANDIFLORA (Richardson)	8.8
GRANDIFLORA NIVEA PLENA (Lemon).....	8.1
GROVER CLEVELAND (Terry)	8.2
JAMES KELWAY (Kelway)	8.7
JEANNE D'ARC (Calot)	7.9
LA COQUETTE (Guerin)	6.8
LADY BERESFORD (Kelway)	7.8
LAMARTINE (Calot)	8.3
LA ROSIERE (Crousse)	8.3
LA TULIPE (Calot)	7.5
LIVINGSTONE (Crousse)	8.1
MADAME AUGUSTE DESSERT (Dessert)	8.6
MADAME BREON (Guerin)	6.5
MADAME BUCQUET (Dessert)	7.3
MADAME CALOT (Miellez)	8.1
MADAME CAMILLE BANCEL (Crousse)	7.7
MADAME CHAUMY (Calot)	6.8
MADAME CROUSSE (Calot)	7.9
MADAME DE GALHAU (Crousse)	7.5
MADAME DE VATRY (Guerin)	7.7

MADAME DE VERNEVILLE (Crousse)	7.9
MADAME DUCCEL (Mechin)	7.9
MADAME EMILE GALLE (Crousse)	8.5
MADAME EMILE LEMOINE (Lemoine)	8.9
MADAME FOREL (Crousse)	7.7
MADAME FOULD (Crousse)	7.0
MADAME GEISSLER (Crousse)	7.9
MADAME LEBON (Calot)	6.8
MARCELLE DESSERT (Dessert)	8.2
MARGUERITE GERARD (Crousse)	8.4
MARIE DEROUX (Crousse)	8.0
MARIE HOUILLON (Calot)	6.9
MARIE JACQUIN (Verdier)	8.3
MATHILDE DE ROSENECK (Crousse)	7.9
MILTON HILL (Richardson)	9.0
MIREILLE (Crousse)	7.7
MLLE. ROUSSEAU (Calot)	8.1
MODELE DE PERFECTION (Crousse).....	7.8
MONSIEUR JULES ELIE (Crousse)	9.2
OCTAVIE DEMAY (Calot)	8.5
PASTEUR (Crousse)	8.0
PETITE RENEE (Dessert)	6.9
PIERRE DUCHARTE (Crousse)	8.2
PRESIDENT TAFT ^{syn.} REINE HORTENSE (Calot)	8.7
RUBRA SUPERBA (Richardson)	7.2
SIMONNE CHEVALIER (Dessert)	7.9
SOUV. DE EXPO. UNIVERSELLE (Calot)	7.6
SULLY PRUDHOMME (Crousse)	7.7
TRIOMPHE DE L'EXPOSITION DE LILLE (Calot)	7.8
UMBRELLATA ROSEA (Dessert)	7.4
VIRGINIE (Calot)	7.6

Single and Japanese Peonies

Every year shows an increased interest in the growing of both single and Japanese Peonies. Their beauty appeals to me very much, and I have been making a collection of all the good varieties until I now have over one hundred different kinds from which I select only the very best for the following lists:

	Rating	Price
CLAIRETTE (Dessert)	8.5	\$1.00
CAMILLE (Dessert)	7.3	1.00
KELWAY'S WILD ROSE (Kelway).....	.....	1.00
LA FIANCEE (Dessert)	8.4	2.00
LE JOUR (Shaylor)	8.2	2.00
LUCIENNE (Dessert)	8.2	1.00

Single Peonies

MARGUERITE DESSERT (Dessert)	8.5	2.50
MINERVE (Dessert)	7.3	1.00
MISTRAL (Dessert)	7.3	1.00
NELLIE (Kelway) .....	.....	4.00
NYMPHAE (Dessert) .....	.....	2.00
OTHELLO (Dessert) .....	.....	2.00
PRIDE OF LANGPORT (Kelway).....	8.9	3.00
PURE LOVE (Kelway) .....	.....	3.00
VELOUTINE (Dessert)	7.3	1.00
VESUVE (Dessert)	7.6	1.00

Japanese Peonies

AKALU (?) .....	.....	\$1.00
ALMA (Shaylor)	8.4	2.00
FAUVETTE (?) .....	.....	1.50
KAMENO KEROGOMA (?) .....	.....	1.50
KINO KIMO (?) .....	.....	2.00
KNIGHT OF THE THISTLE (Kelway).....	.....	2.00
KUMAGOE (?) .....	.....	1.00
MAGNIFICENCE (Kelway) .....	.....	2.00
MIKADO (Barr)	8.6	1.50
NAUBUNISHSKI (?) .....	.....	1.50
NOONDAY (Kelway) .....	.....	3.00
O FUGI (?) .....	.....	2.00
RARE BROCADE (?) .....	.....	1.50
SEIRIU SOMAE (?) .....	.....	1.50
SNOW WHEEL (?) .....	.....	1.00

My terms are cash with the order and money will be returned for any variety I cannot furnish, as I will not make any substitutions. I prefer to send roots by express as in this way the customer only pays the actual cost of transportation. If, however, any customer ordering a few roots wishes them sent parcel post, he may include twenty-five cents additional for each root or division, and I will prepay the postage and insure the safe delivery of the package.

I will begin shipment of Peony orders about September 1st. If customers have a special time they would like to receive their roots and will so advise me, I will be glad to ship the ordering accordingly.

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Note:—On Mr. Bonnewitz's return we expect to issue through our Garden Notes a report of his visits to the prominent European Gardens. Will be glad to add your name to our mailing list if you desire a copy.